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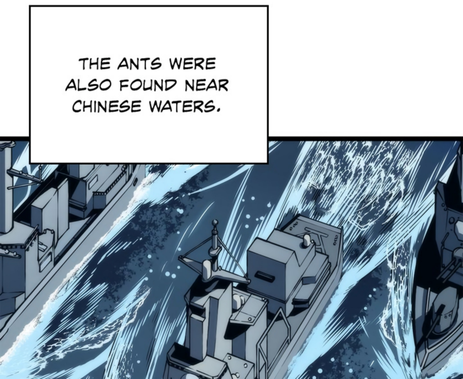
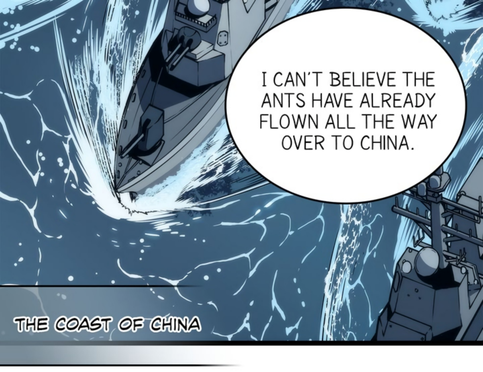
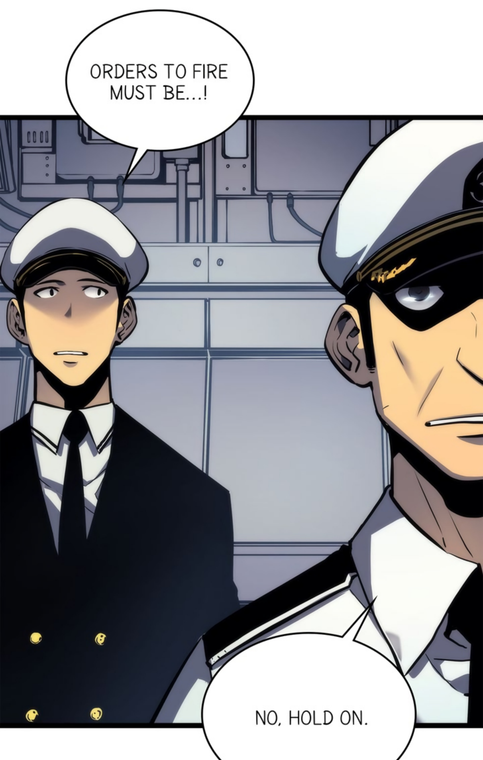
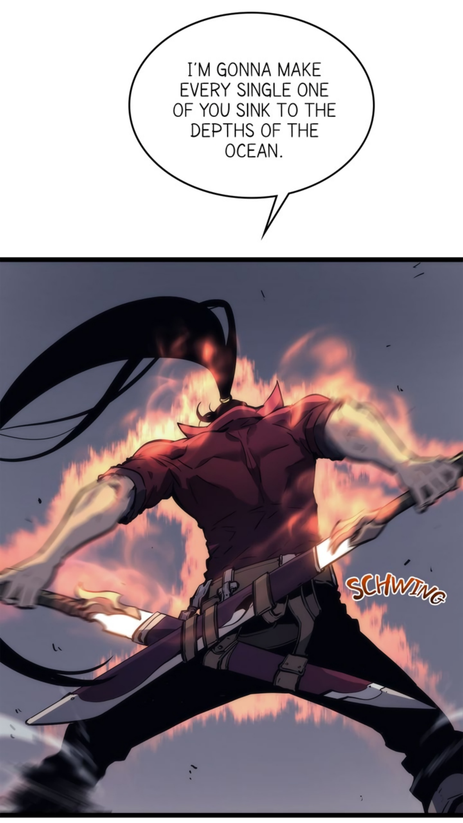



I CAN'T BELIEVE THE ANTS HAVE ALREADY FLOWN ALL THE WAY OVER TO CHINA.
THE COAST OF CHINA

WE HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE TO SLEEP FOR TWO DAYS NOW.
THE SECOND WAVE OF ANTS ARE NOW WITHIN SHOOTING RANGE, SIR!

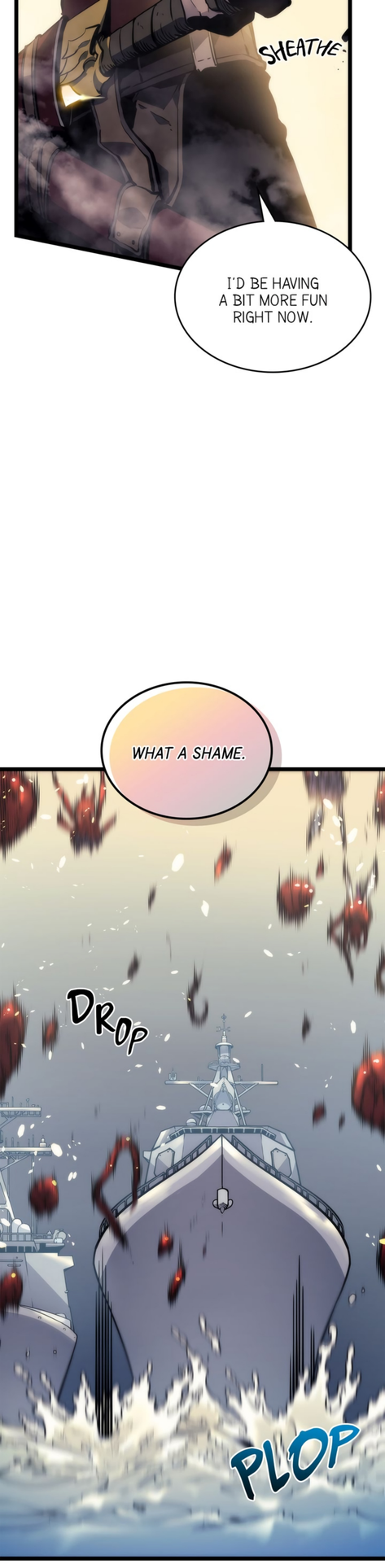

ORDERS TO FIRE MUST BE...!
NO, HOLD ON.

IT LOOKS LIKE OUR HERO WANTS ALL THE ACTION TO HIMSELF.
THEY JUST KEEP COMING.


I'M GONNA MAKE EVERY SINGLE ONE OF YOU SINK TO THE DEPTHS OF THE OCEAN.
SCHWING

BOOM
BLAST
BOOM

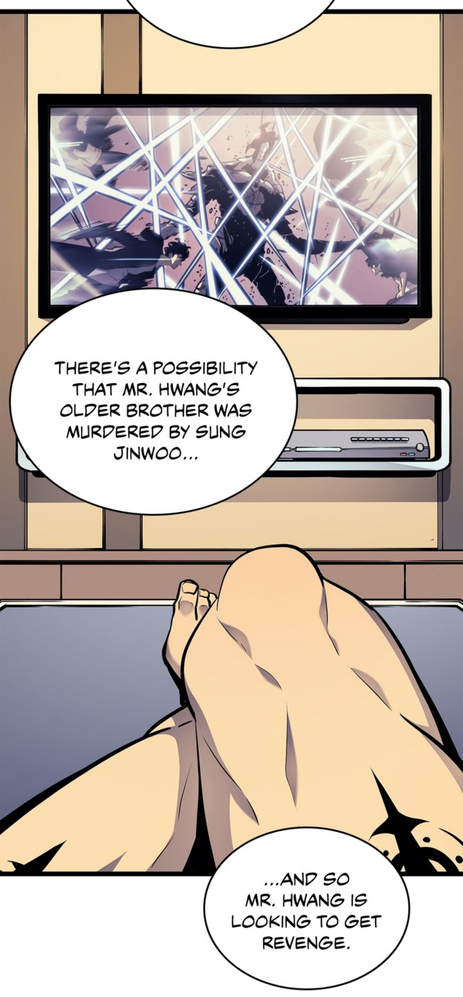
THESE BEASTS ARE LAME. IF THE ANT SUNG JINWOO HAD BATTLED AGAINST WERE STILL ALIVE,


SHEATHE
I'D BE HAVING A BIT MORE FUN RIGHT NOW.
WHAT A SHAME.
DROP
PLOP

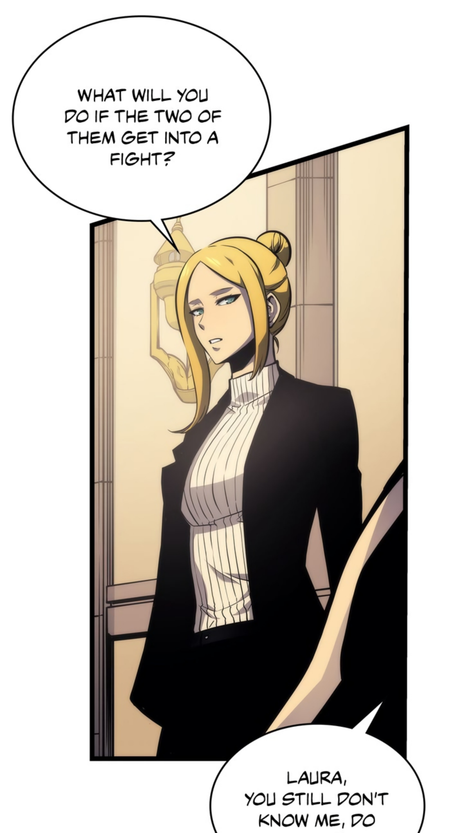
WHAT DO YOU THINK, SIR?

MR. HWANG AND SUNG JINWOO ARE

CONNECTED BY ONE INCIDENT.



CONSIDERING EVERYTHING THAT HAS HAPPENED, IT'LL BE EVEN HARDER TO MEET SUNG JINWOO NOW.
IT'S REALLY TOO BAD. I WAS LOOKING FORWARD TO MEETING HIM IN PERSON.
THOMAS ANDRE
GUILD MASTER OF THE SCAVENGER GUILD


WHAT WILL YOU DO IF THE TWO OF THEM GET INTO A FIGHT?
LAURA, YOU STILL DON'T KNOW ME, DO

YOU?

MR. HWANG IS THE PROPERTY OF THE SCAVENGER GUILD...
...AND THE SCAVENGER GUILD IS MINE.

I WON'T FORGIVE ANYONE WHO MESSES WITH MY PROPERTY,
EVEN IF IT'S THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE THIRD NIGHT OF THE JEJU ISLAND RAID.

SOLDIERS, ALONG WITH HUNTERS OF THE KNIGHTS GUILD, THE REPRESENTATIVE GUILD IN THE YEONGNAM REGION,

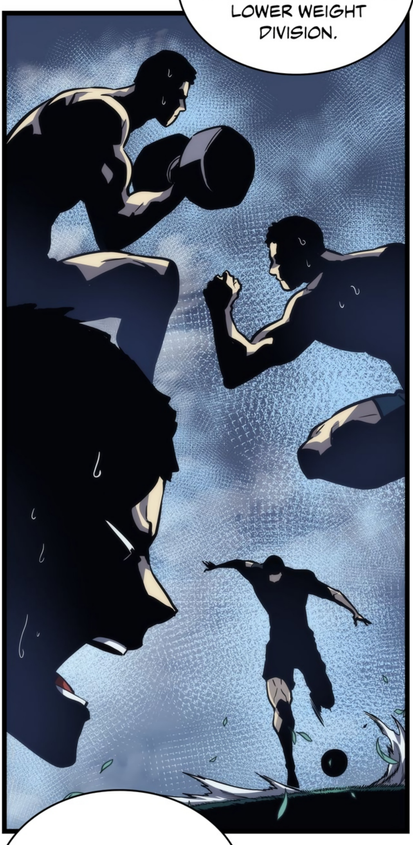
LANDED IN JEJU ISLAND TO COLLECT ESSENCE STONES AND TO STANDBY IN CASE OF ANOTHER INCIDENT.

THERE WAS ONCE A MAN WHO NEVER HAD A LICK OF LUCK.
SIGH
SORRY?

HE ALWAYS TRIED TO BE THE VERY BEST AT WHAT HE DID.
HIS DREAM WAS TO BECOME A GOLD MEDALIST.
STEP
STEP
STEP

HE TRAINED TO BECOME STRONGER...

...AND WENT ON DIETS SO THAT HE COULD COMPETE AT A LOWER WEIGHT DIVISION.



HE ENDURED INTENSE TRAININ' SESSIONS.

ALL THAT WAS LEFT WAS FOR HIM TO COMPETE IN THE OLYMPICS.

THAT WAS HIS LIFELONG DREAM, AFTER ALL.

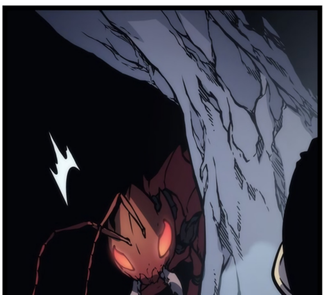
HE PASSED THE DOPIN' TEST...

...AND HE EVEN HAD A GOOD DREAM THE NIGHT BEFORE.

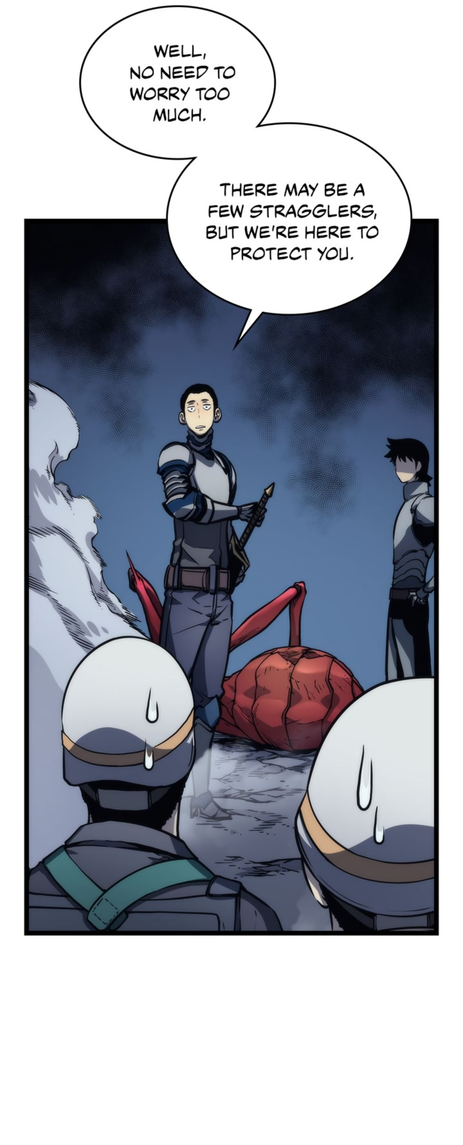
HE WAS IN TOP CONDITION.
HOWEVER,
A MANA METER EVALUATION FOUND THAT HE'D BEEN AWAKENED,
SO HE WAS BARRED FROM COMPETIN' IN THE OLYMPICS!
OH, IS THIS STORY ABOUT YOU?
THAT MAN HAD TO GIVE UP ON HIS DREAM, BUT HE THEN FOUND A NEW CALLIN'!
HE VOWED TO CREATE THE COUNTRY'S BEST GUILD!
PLEASE DON'T LITTER HERE.
YOU'RE AN INSPIRATION, SIR!

TAKE A LOOK AT THESE TOP-QUALITY ESSENCE STONES!
WITH THESE, MY DREAM OF CREATIN' THE COUNTRY'S BEST GUILD WILL BE...!
YOU'D BE COMMITTING EMBEZZLEMENT!

ANYWAY, LOOKS LIKE THIS PLACE WAS WIPED CLEAN.
COME ON, YOU GUYS. I DON'T SENSE ANY MANA HERE, SO IT'S OKAY TO RELAX.



OOPS,
ONE OF THEM
WAS HIDIN'.
SLICE


WELL,
NO NEED TO
WORRY TOO
MUCH.
THERE MAY BE A
FEW STRAGGLERS,
BUT WE'RE HERE TO
PROTECT YOU.

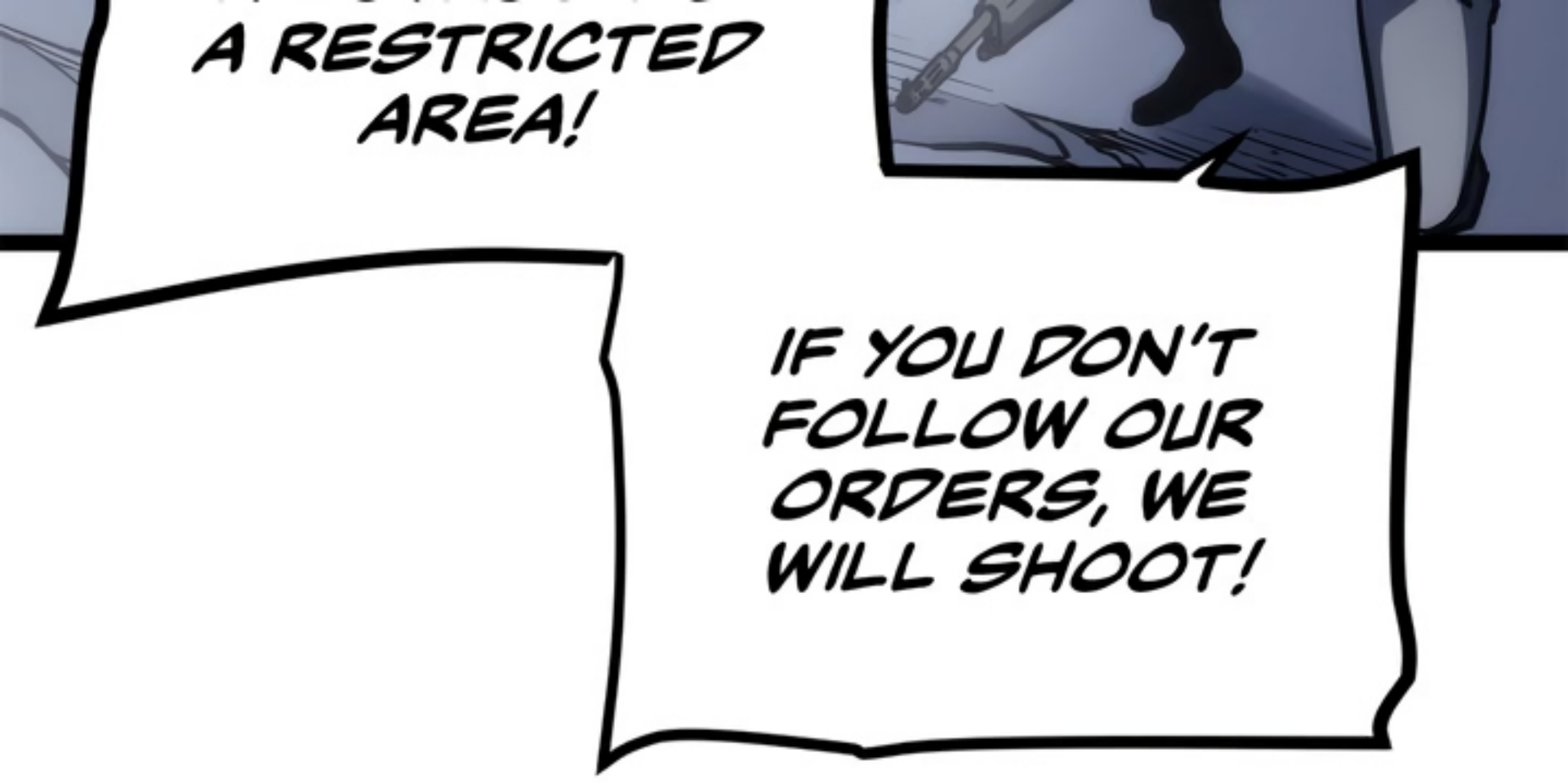
S...SIR!
WHAT'S UP?

WHOA!
WH, WHO GOES THERE?

THE ONLY OTHER PEOPLE HERE ON THIS ISLAND SHOULD BE A GROUP OF SOLDIERS... AND THE AGENTS FROM THE ASSOCIATION WHO ASSIGNED THIS MISSION TO US...

SIR, IS THAT A HUMAN BEING?

HEY, DON'T OPEN FIRE YET! THAT'S NOT A MAGIC BEAST!


A RESTRICTED AREA!
IF YOU DON'T FOLLOW OUR ORDERS, WE WILL SHOOT!

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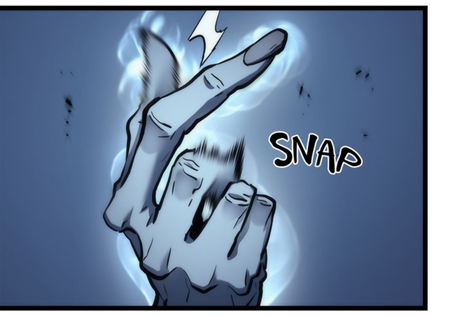
A LANGUAGE SPOKEN BY BEASTS?!


SNAP

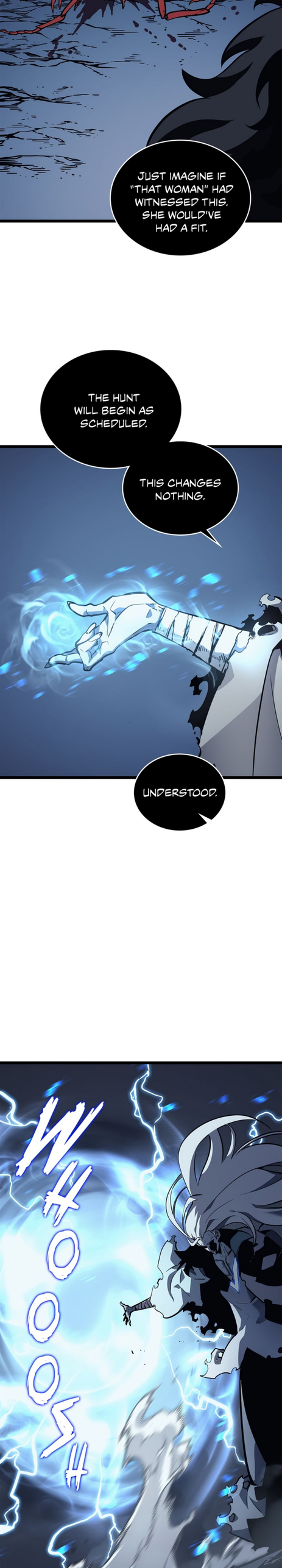
FLOP
THUD

WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING?
THERE'S NO NEED FOR US TO CAUSE ANY COMMOTION.
I'VE ONLY PUT THEM TO SLEEP FOR THE TIME BEING.

DID YOU CHECK?
YES, I'M POSITIVE IT WAS HIS POWER.

HOW ODD.
I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY HE'S HELPING THESE HUMANS.
WHO KNOWS WHAT'S GOING ON INSIDE THAT HEAD OF HIS?
IF YOU'RE CURIOUS, WHY DON'T YOU GO AND ASK HIM YOURSELF?

THIS PLACE REEKS OF ROTTING ANTS.


JUST IMAGINE IF "THAT WOMAN" HAD WITNESSED THIS. SHE WOULD'VE HAD A FIT.
THE HUNT WILL BEGIN AS SCHEDULED.
THIS CHANGES NOTHING.
UNDERSTOOD.
WHOOOSH

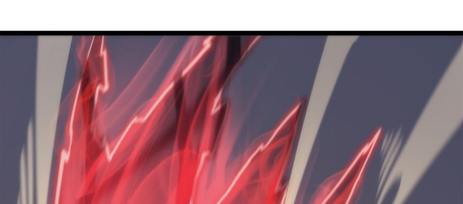
BY THE WAY, I THINK ONE OF THEM IS HERE.
HERE IN SOUTH KOREA?
HOW ABOUT WE TAKE CARE OF THEM BEFORE WE GO?
LET'S JUST LEAVE THIS PLACE...
...IN HIS HANDS.

ARE YOU SAYING THAT BECAUSE YOU DON'T WANT TO GET INVOLVED?
I GUESS THAT'S ONE WAY TO INTERPRET IT.

YOU CAN THINK WHATEVER YOU WANT.
SHWWP

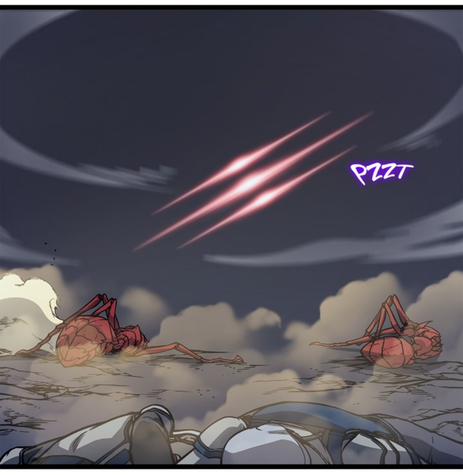
COWARD...

WELL... I SUPPOSE THERE ISN'T A GOOD REASON TO MAKE THINGS MORE TROUBLESOME.



SWOOSH

SHWWP


PZZT

SCAVENGER
-A GUILD THAT OPERATES ALL OVER THE UNITED STATES.
-LED BY THOMAS ANDRE, A NATIONAL LEVEL HUNTER, THE GUILD HAS RECRUITED A LARGE NUMBER OF S-RANK HUNTERS.
-MEMBERS ARE SOMETIMES DISPATCHED TO OTHER COUNTRIES THAT ARE INCAPABLE OF CLEARING GATES ON THEIR OWN.
-HWANG DONGSOO, AN S-RANK HUNTER, IS A MEMBER OF THIS GUILD.

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